



Elbit Systems Ltd.

Line of Business

Defense Electronics & Electro-optics Systems

Established

1966

Leading Executive

Mr. Joseph Ackerman
President & CEO

Elbit Systems Ltd. is an international defense electronics company engaged in a wide range of programs throughout the world. The Company, which includes Elbit Systems and its subsidiaries, operates in the areas of aerospace, land and naval systems, command, control, communications, computers, intelligence surveillance and reconnaissance (C⁴ISR), unmanned aircraft systems (UAS), advanced electro-optics, electro-optic space systems, EW suites, airborne warning systems, ELINT systems, data links and military communications systems and radios. The Company also focuses on the upgrading of existing military platforms, developing new technologies for defense, homeland security and commercial aviation applications and providing a range of support services.



Principal Areas of Activity

Airborne Systems: aircraft and helicopter upgrade projects, advanced avionics, helmet-mounted systems, head-up displays, aerial reconnaissance systems, guided munitions systems and air, ground and naval training and simulation solutions.

Elbit Systems Cyclone Ltd (Cyclone), a wholly-owned subsidiary, serves as the Company's design and production center for metal and composite structural aircraft components and parts for leading aerospace companies and OEMs.

Unmanned Aerial, Ground and Surface Vehicle Systems: a variety of systems for military and homeland security applications including the Hermes[®] family of UAS and the Skylark[®] man-packed Mini UAS Series, Unmanned Ground Vehicles (UGVs), unmanned turrets and autonomous weapon systems, as well as Unmanned Surface Vehicles (USVs).

Land Systems: armored vehicle upgrades, fire control systems, thermal imaging and laser systems, displays, electrical turret drives, overhead remote-controlled unmanned turret weapon systems.

C⁴I, including information and battle management systems and software-intensive C⁴I programs for various applications. Selected to head-up the IDF's Digital Army Program, Elbit Systems is integrating all land C⁴I applications and systems for this ground breaking program. Elbit Systems is a world leader in military communications equipment and systems. Recent acquisition of SOLTAM complements the Company's portfolio of capabilities in fighting platforms in general and particularly in Artillery and Mortar Systems.

Electro-optic Systems: space cameras, specialized day and night sensors and payloads, thermal imaging systems, laser systems, reconnaissance and observation systems for airborne, land and naval applications.

Homeland Security: comprehensive security systems and turnkey solutions for prevention, detection, deterrence and response, including various sensors, lasers, surveillance platforms and information technology programs.

Services: a spectrum of services & logistic support, from maintenance to turnkey delivery of test facilities and complexes, including Private Finance Initiative (PFI) programs.

Major Shareholders

Federmann Enterprises Ltd. - 45%, Public - 55%

Financial Data

The Company's consolidated revenues for the year ended December 31, 2009 increased by 7.4% to \$ 2,832 million as compared to \$ 2,638 million in 2008.

The Company's consolidated net earnings for the year ended December 31, 2009 amounted to \$ 215 million, as compared to \$ 204 million in 2008. Backlog of orders as of December 31, 2009, amounted to \$ 5,044 million, 65% of which relates to orders outside of Israel. R&D expenses in 2009 totaled \$ 245.8 million as against \$ 217.2 million in 2008, an increase of 13.2%.

Brief History

Elbit Systems Ltd. was formed in 1996, as part of the Elbit Ltd. demerger, under which Elbit Ltd's defense related assets and business were spun-off to us. From its founding in 1966 until the demerger, Elbit Ltd. was involved in a wide range of defense-related programs. We continue these activities to-